

DAILY DEMOCRAT.

TUESDAY, - DECEMBER 2, 1856.

Dealers in Medicine.

Surley's Sarsaparilla commands the largest sale, and is the best preparation before the public. When purchasing stock be sure and take no other.

The Weekly Democrat.

We are preparing for a new and beautiful suit of type, large, clear, and distinct, with which to commence the new year.

The Democrat will otherwise be materially improved for the general reader. Of its political character it is unnecessary to speak. In its commercial department, it has been as full and general as a weekly publication could well be made. Its news, miscellaneous, and general literary character will be greatly enhanced by the contributions and aids of some of the best pens in the country. Each number will contain an original or selected story, which, we know, will please thousands of our readers to peruse during the long winter nights. And with these features, which will make the Democrat still more acceptable to the general reader, we hope our friends generally throughout the South and West, will not be remiss in forwarding their subscriptions; for we rely on their prompt attention as a means of furnishing them with a paper which we shall improve in proportion to the increased support given us.

A New Firm—Change of Warehouse. It will be seen by an advertisement in our columns elsewhere that Harrison Bridges has associated with him in the tobacco business, Capt. Charles H. Harper, an old citizen of Louisville, and a first-rate business man. The Todd Warehouse, under the control of Mr. Bridges for many years past, has enjoyed a most extensive patronage, and now, in removing to the Pickett Warehouse, corner of Ninth and Main streets, where the house is better adapted, we may expect a large and prosperous business to follow Messrs. Bridges & Harper to their new location.

They are both fully identified with the tobacco interests of our city, and from the prompt and efficient manner in which they have served tobacco-growers generally, of course the trade will follow them to their new house, one square below the old stand.

HOWARD FEMALE INSTITUTE.—We direct the attention of readers to the card of Mr. Joseph S. Howler, President of this institution. We noticed at length, some months ago, the plan upon which this school is organized. It is under the auspices of the I. O. O. F., and is in successful operation. It is located at Gallatin, Tenn., a most eligible site, famous for its salubrity, and with an excellent corps of teachers it must soon become the leading seminary for young ladies in our neighboring State.

A Good SUGGESTION.—Judge Johnston very justly remarked in his Court yesterday, that, owing to the pernicious system of bailing offenders out of the Work-house, the law for the punishment of minor offenses was in a measure ineffective. As is the case in most cities, it was proposed to be reformed here as to make slight misdemeanors punishable by fine, there would be an immediate falling off in the number of that grade of offenders.

Everybody and everybody's wife and sweet-heart were a cheerful countenance yesterday in view of the arrival of "the good time coming," so much talked about! We may now expect coal at a fair price, and the Rip Van Winkle sleep of steamboats to be broken up in the general pull upon our shores. The times were greatly out of joint, but yesterday's indications upon the streets were that they are again. We shall see!

SUSPECTED INCENDIARIES.—Granville Shields, a white man, and Robson, a slave of W. P. Hahn, were before the Police Court yesterday, charged with an incendiary design upon Banner's house. Pittsburg report the incendiary in the basement, but a ferocious bulldog. The whole party, with the exception of the bulldog, were brought before the Police Court yesterday. Hahn was let off, and Mary was held to bail.

SALE OF BURIAL HOUSE AND PARTY.—In an attempt to make the arrest of Mrs. Mary McCann, for drunkenness and great disorder in her house, the master was assaulted by her husband, Michael McCann, and a ferocious bulldog. The whole party, with the exception of the bulldog, were brought before the Police Court yesterday.

HOST.—Nothing new has transpired in the hotel since our last. The receipts by railroad and otherwise were large yesterday, and all the packing houses were full and busy.

THE PARSON CONCER.—The grand concert at Mozart Hall was well attended. Signor Morini was ill, so was, which was a disappointment. The audience evinced a high appreciation of the entertainment.

CALIFORNIA FOR BUCHANAN.—The details of the news from California, by the Illinois, bring gratifying intelligence that the Golden State has cast her electoral vote for Buchanan.

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THE PARSON CONCER.—Messrs. Gramp & Welch, 84 Fourth street, have all the monthly periodicals, including the Knickerbocker Magazine, for December.

LOUIS AGAIN.—Charley Sullivan, the notorious blind thief, was discharged from the Work-house yesterday, and is feeling his way about again.

ADMITTED TO BAIL.—Samuel Noyon was released from the Work-house yesterday on bail.

NICARAGUAN NEWS.

NEW YORK, NOV. 23.

The Herald's correspondence says advice has been received by the State Department to the effect that the United States should contribute men and means to aid the Central American States in the extermination of General Walker.

Walker and New Grenada have both been solicited to enter into the same arrangement, but the New Grenadians have declined having anything to do with the scheme. Ecuador, it is thought, will accept it.

It is understood that the old Nicaragua Transit Company has had something to do with this plan.

The new minister from the Walker government in Nicaragua has not arrived here yet.

The present disposition in view of Guinevere's execution, and the ultimate designs, is to refuse the minister recognition. A steamer, however, is being sent on the President to escort him to the port of Ferre, who will not offer his credentials until assured of his reception.

Minister Walker's return to Nicaragua is not anticipated, although he has not been home.

The President's individual sentiments have only changed lately towards Walker, and he will withhold his countenance from him in every way possible.

RIVER NEWS.

CINCINNATI, Dec. 1, M.

River four feet ten inches and at a stand. The weather is cloudy and damp, with indications of rain.

CINCINNATI, Dec. 1, T.M.

River rising. Weather moderating, with an appearance of rain.

NOTICES.

REFINED SUGARS. 200 BBLs

crushed and powdered sugar in stores and for sale.

BLANCHFIELD, MOORE & MURRAY.

FLOUR. NOW BEING RECEIVED

from my "Family Mill" of refined

flour, and also a lot of fine flour.

FRANCIS BOHANNON,

MAIS SWELL, 50 Main street.

TOYS: TOYS: TOYS. 100 CASES

of assorted toys, in large assortment cases, for sale for sale low.

A. BORIS, No. 50 Third st.

Fact and Fancy.

For many pleasant evenings yet to come, the FAIR AT ODD-FELLOWS' HALL,

For the benefit of the widows and orphans of deceased freemen, and for the benefit of superannuated freemen themselves, will be the attractive point in this city. This enterprise commands itself in a peculiar manner to every citizen. Heavy demands are annually made upon the Fire Department for charities of this kind, and while they have done much good in supplying the wants and alleviating the sufferings of indigent families who have claims upon the charities of the people of Louisville, they have been utterly unable to exercise that liberality which they could desire. A trifling contribution, just at this time, will place the department up a high ground of usefulness. Odd Fellows' Hall has been most tastefully and beautifully decorated by the enterprising ladies who have been induced to take the matter in hand, and the Fair which commences this evening, we presume, will be one of the most pleasant and successful entertainments of the kind ever given in Louisville. Speaking of charities, the attaches of

THE CHESTNUT-STREET HOSPITAL

Have been busy during the month of November just passed. From a report of the Superintendent, W. A. Munday, we glean the following statement of the transactions for that period:

Patients remaining in the Hospital Nov. 1. 74

Total. 114

Of these were Discharged. 51

Remaining in Hospital Dec. 1. 71

Total. 110

Being somewhat figurative in our feelings, we propose to follow up the above statistical information with some interesting items in reference to

TAZON IN JEFFERSON COUNTY,

Gleaned from the returns made by the sheriff.

The following table exhibits each individual item of taxable property in Jefferson county:

Total value as above \$1,000,000

Number of Hoes over six months old. 11,264

White hoes over 6 years of age. 10,975

Black hoes. 1,000

Scythes. 14,023

Jewels. 1,000

Knives. 1,000

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